

## Message Text

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DEA HQS FOR ENOA

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: OCON, SNAR, BL  
SUBJECT: ARA REGIONAL NARCOTICS CONFERENCE

REF: (A) STATE 214602, (B) USIA 26130

1. LIKELY PARTICIPANTS ARE:  
A. WILLIAMS BEAL, DCM AND NARCOTICS COORDINATOR  
B. AMADEO MEDINA, DEA SAIC  
C. DAVID S. ARROYO, NARCOTICS ADVISOR  
D. HARRY WING, USAID-RDD, PROJECT MANAGER OF COCA CROP  
SUBSTITUTION PILOT PROJECT.  
IF USIA PARTICIPATES AGAIN THIS YEAR, USIS WILL BE  
REPRESENTED BY:  
E. CLIFFORD NAUGHTON, INFORMATION OFFICER  
ALL THE ABOVE WILL REQUIRE SINGLE ACCOMODATIONS.

2. BASED ON EXPERIENCE IN PREVIOUS CONFERENCES, MISSION  
SUGGESTS AT LEAST ONE HOUR PERIOD EACH DAY, AND BEFORE  
CLOSING TIME, TO ALLOW PARTICIPANTS OPPORTUNITY TO  
EXCHANGE IMPRESSIONS OF MUTUAL INTEREST. TEN MINUTE  
BREAKS WERE FOUND INADEQUATE.

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3. SUGGESTED TOPICS BESIDES BASIC PROGRAM:  
A) COMPARATIVE EFFORTS AND MEASURES - PERU, BOLIVIA  
RELATIVE TO COCA PRODUCTION REGISTRATION AND CONTROL.  
STATUS OF CROP DIVERSIFICATION EFFORTS; BOLIVIA'S  
EXPERIENCE TO DATE.  
NOTE: COCA PRODUCER REGISTRATION AND BASIC INFORMATION  
RE SAME SHOULD BE AVAILABLE BY DATE OF CONFERENCE.

B) STATUS OF THE VARIOUS MISSION'S CONSOLIDATION OF  
NARCOTICS CONTROL UNITS AND THE ROLE OF THE N.C.U.'S  
IN OVERALL OVERSEAS NARCOTICS CONTROL EFFORTS.  
C) AN UPDATE OF THE BOLIVIAN EXPERIENCE REGARDING USE  
OF ALMOST PURE COCAINE AND COCAINE SULPHATE IMPREGNATED  
CIGARETTES.  
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